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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : David Stern, et al.
Serial No. : 10/049,893 Examiner: G. Emch
Filed : July 22, 2002 Art Unit: 1649
For : METHODS OF INHIBITING BINDING OF BETA-SHEET
FIBRIL TO RAGE AND CONSEQUENCES THEREOF

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Sir:

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the July 17, 2006 Final Office Action. Applicants filed an Amendment in Response to July 17, 2006 Final Office Action on September 18, 2006. The fee for a one-month extension of time is \$120.00, and a check including that amount is enclosed. With the one-month extension, a response to the July 17, 2006 Final Office Action is due November 17, 2006. Accordingly, the subject application is pending today for the purpose of filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$120.00 fee for a one-month extension and the \$790.00 RCE fee, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Petition and accompanying RCE. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing the prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone them at the number provided below.

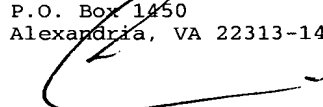
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